

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON  
AT TACOMA

CAROLYN J. BRUNNER,

Plaintiff,

v.

CAROLYN W. COLVIN, Acting  
Commissioner of Social Security,

Defendant.

CASE NO. 13-5910-RJB-KLS

ORDER REVERSING  
DEFENDANT'S DECISION TO  
DENY BENEFITS AND  
REMANDING FOR FURTHER  
ADMINISTRATIVE  
PROCEEDINGS

This case comes before the Court on Magistrate Judge Karen L. Strombom's Report and Recommendation (Dkt. 29) in Plaintiff's action for judicial review of Defendant's denial of Social Security benefits. The Court has reviewed the record herein, including the Report and Recommendation (Dkt. 29) and Objections to the Report and Recommendation (Dkt. 30). Plaintiff raises the same issues in her objections to the Report and Recommendation as she does in her opening brief (Dkt. 20) and reply brief (Dkt. 27), which Judge Strombom correctly addressed in her Report and Recommendation (Dkt. 29). Accordingly, the Court should adopt the Report and Recommendation (Dkt. 29).

Therefore, the Court does hereby find and **ORDER**:

- (1) the Court adopts the Report and Recommendation (Dkt. 29);
- (2) the ALJ erred in her decision as described in the Report and Recommendation (Dkt. 29); and
- (3) the matter is therefore **REVERSED** and remanded to the Commissioner for further administrative proceedings.

The Clerk is directed to send uncertified copies of this Order to all counsel of record and to any party appearing *pro se* at said party's last known address.

Dated this 16<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2014.

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Robert J. Bryan", written over a horizontal line.

ROBERT J. BRYAN  
United States District Judge